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Horse Branch at 1:55 p. m.
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Elm Lick at 2:15 "
Beaver Dam at 2:25 "
Hamilton's at 2:40 "
Mallory's at 2:44 "
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Beaver Dam at 10:10 "
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Hon. James Stuart, Judge, of Owensboro.
Hon. J. M. Haycraft, Attorney, Elizabethtown.
A. L. Morton, Clerk, Hartford.
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T. J. Smith, Sheriff, Hartford.
E. L. Wise, Jailor, Hartford.

Court begins on the second Mondays in May and November, and continues four weeks each term.

COUNTY COURT.
Hon. W. F. Gregory, Judge, Hartford.
Capt. Sam. K. Cox, Clerk, Hartford.
J. P. Sanderfer, Attorney, Hartford.
Court begins on the first Monday in every month.

QUARTERLY COURT.
Begins on the fourth Monday in January, and third Mondays in April, July and October.

COURT OF CLAIMS.
Begins on the first Mondays in October and January.

OTHER COUNTY OFFICERS.
J. J. Leach, Assessor, Cromwell.
G. Smith Fitzhugh, Surveyor, Sulphur Springs.
Thos. H. Howell, Coroner, Sulphur Springs.
W. L. Rowe, School Commissioner, Hartford.

MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Caney District, No. 1.—J. H. Alfred, Justice, held March 5, June 17, September 4, December 15.
John D. Miller, Justice, held March 18, June 4, September 15, December 4.

Cool Springs District, No. 2.—S. A. Davenport, Justice, held March 3, June 15, September 2, December 16.
Samuel Shull, Justice, held March 15, June 2, September 16, December 2.

Centerville District, No. 3.—W. L. Rowe, Justice, held March 31, June 14, September 10, December 27.
W. P. Ewell, Justice, held March 24, June 10, September 25, December 11.

Fordville District, No. 4.—C. W. R. Cobb, Justice, held March 8, June 14, September 8, December 27.
S. G. Smith, Justice, held March 20, June 7, September 22, December 8.

Ellis District, No. 5.—C. S. McElroy, Justice, held March 9, June 21, September 9, December 23.
H. J. Hunter, Justice, held March 22, June 8, September 23, December 6.

Hartford District, No. 7.—Frank Cooper, Justice, held March 13, June 25, September 14, December 29.
A. B. Bennett, Justice, held March 25, June 11, September 27, December 13.

Cromwell District, No. 8.—W. C. Rogers, Justice, held March 27, June 16, September 29, December 17.
R. S. Hodges, Justice, held March 17, June 30, September 17, December 31.

Hartford District, No. 9.—J. Warren Barnett, Justice, held March 12, June 24, September 12, December 26.
W. T. Ricketts, Justice, held March 26, June 12, September 24, December 10.

Sulphur Springs District, No. 10.—A. T. Hines, Justice, held March 19, June 5, September 21, December 7.
Jas. A. Bennett, Justice, held March 6, June 18, September 11, December 21.

Barrett District, No. 11.—G. E. Hamilton, Justice, held March 10, June 22, September 16, December 24.
James L. Miller, Justice, held March 23, June 9, September 24, December 19.

POLICE COURTS.
Hartford—J. H. Lutz, Judge, second Mondays in January, April, July and October.
Beaver Dam—E. W. Cooper, Judge, first Saturday in January, April, July and October.

Cromwell—A. F. Montague, Judge, first Tuesday in January, April, July and October.
Cervino—W. D. Barnard, Judge, last Saturday in March, June, September and December.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 1875.

JNO. P. BARRETT, LOCAL EDITOR.

Another large flotilla of rafts passed down Rough Creek on Sunday last.

Just received from New York, a fine lot of toilet ware. Geo. Klein & Bro.

Weather probabilities for to-day—It will be clear and sunny, if it does not cloud up.

Dr. Humphrey.
Welcomes the Rev. Dr. Humphrey. He goes to Scottsville, Allen county.

The weather for the past week has been like one of our correspondents—"Variable."

Sunday night, "Old Probabilities" tried his level best to give us another fall of snow, but failed.

Spelling doesn't appear to be a weakness of our good citizens. They are afraid of a spelling-bee.

The police court at Rockport, Judge W. L. Hawkins, presiding, will be held next Friday, the 26th instant.

If you want a silver finished tea or coffee pot, very cheap, go to
Geo. Klein & Bro.'s.

Travel between this place and the railroad was so flourishing last week, that Mr. Vaughn was compelled to run two stages on Saturday last.

Several interesting communications from Sulphur Springs, Rosine, Caneyville, Morgantown and Buford are on file and will appear next week.

Good door locks; butts; hinges; by single pair or dozen, to suit builders; nails, 10d, at \$4.25 a keg, or 5 cents a pound; and a general assortment of hardware, cheap, by
Geo. Klein & Bro.

We hear a great deal of complaint about our miserable sidewalks and pavements. Well, now we don't know anything about them, but could form an opinion if we could only get through the four-feet of mud to investigate them.

Yesterday morning, Jimmie, the little son of Mrs. Jas. Bennett, of this place, disappeared from his home. Search is being made for him this morning. Great fears are entertained that some harm has befallen him.

At a regular church meeting, held at the Methodist church last Saturday night, Mrs. J. F. Collins, Mrs. Jennie McHenry and Miss Sallie H. Taylor were appointed a committee to receive subscriptions for the building of a new Methodist church.

New Spring Stock.
E. Small has just returned with a large and select stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes. Notions, &c. Prices to suit the times. Call and convince yourselves of it.

A Small Fire.
The Hartford House was the scene of a little excitement on Friday night last. Up in the second story, room No. 14, occupied by H. C. Mitchell, a drummer, was the place. It was caused by the explosion of a coal-oil lamp. The only damages done were the burning of the carpet, a counterpane, and a fine overcoat belonging to the above named gentleman.

We are pleased to welcome back to our midst, Miss Mattie Berry, who has for some time been absent on a visit to her relatives in the upper counties. On her return, she was accompanied by Miss Lizzie Brown, who is one of Washington county's fair daughters. We hope she will receive due attention from Hartford's gallants, and thus enjoy herself while in our midst.

Transfers of Real Estate.
Real estate transfers lodged for record during the week ending March 20, 1875.
Frank Griffin to Zach. Collins, \$ of an acre in Hartford; consideration cash, \$100.

Marriage Licenses.
Marriage licenses issued during the week ending March 20th 1875.
Henry C. Midkiff and Miss Sarah H. Marlow.

COLORED.
James Rowe and Miss Amanda Brackin.

Rev. Mr. Cundiff, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, began on Sunday morning last, a series of lectures on the Articles of Faith, as laid down in the Discipline of his church. His lectures are very entertaining, evince deep scriptural research, and are listened to by large and interested audiences. They will be continued every evening during the remainder of the week.

Distinguished Visitors.
Since our last issue our town has been favored by visits from Hon. John C. Underwood, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, and Col. D. Howard Smith, who is a candidate for re-election to the office of Auditor of State. Both gentlemen met with a cordial reception from our citizens, and succeeded in adding many new friends to their long list of old ones.

Change at the Crow House.
Mr. A. P. Hudson has withdrawn from the firm of Vaughn & Hudson, in the hotel business, and Mr. John S. Vaughn is now sole proprietor of the Crow House, as well as of the Hartford and Beaver Dam stage line. The change in proprietorship will not affect the conduct of this popular caravansary, as Mr. Vaughn, one of the best, kindest, and most accommodating landlords in the State, still exercises sole dominion over the domestic and culinary affairs of the house.

Attempt at Suicide.
We learn that a few days ago a man by the name of Smith, living some eight or ten miles north of town, attempted to commit suicide, by hanging himself to a beam in his barn, but was discovered by some one who was watching him, and cut down in time to frustrate his purpose. It appears that this was the second attempt in a short time that he has made upon his life. The cause of his wish to "shuffle off this mortal coil," according to our informant, was the refusal of his wife to let him squander her little patrimony in debauchery, he being a drinking character.

Sudden Death.

On last Friday morning, news came to our County Judge that an old colored woman, named Julia Foreman, had dropped dead suddenly. Judge Gregory summoned Dr. W. J. Berry, and they rode out to the place, in the suburbs of town, and found the old woman dead sure enough, but still warm. After a careful examination, Dr. Berry pronounced the cause of death to be heart disease, and the corpse was given in charge of her relatives for burial.

Mrs. B. A. Candiff will read the next number of the Guiding Star, of which she was elected editor.

County Democratic Convention.

The Democrats of Ohio County are respectfully requested to assemble in Mass Convention at the court house in Hartford, on Monday, April 5, 1875, at 1 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the State Convention, to be held in Frankfort, May 6. A full attendance is earnestly desired.

By order of County Committee.
TYLER GRIFFIN, Chmn.

Sam. E. Hill, Secy.
Hartford, March 24, 1875.

In Town.

Our Spring Lick friend and correspondent, Mr. A. G. Rowe, spent several days in town last week. Mr. Rowe is one of our most prompt correspondents, and his well written, gossipy letters are favorite reading matter with our patrons.

Judge W. L. Hawkins—he of huge ponderosity, whose shadow always darts to town last week. From a private interrogatory propounded to us by our regular Rockport correspondent, "P. R.," we are inclined to think the Judge put on city airs when he returned home. His business here was to institute proceedings against "P. R." for burglary or seduction, he couldn't recollect which, and he had to return home to find out what "P. R." had really done to him. The Judge is a clever gentleman and good talker. May he live long and wax fat.

"Hard Times, Come Again no More."

All persons desirous of securing useful, honorable, and highly profitable employment, adapted to persons of any age, sex, or social position, entirely free from competition, and without limit, should read Fortune Wagon Workingman's Narrative, the story of a poor mechanic who, while in bad health, without means, and with a family on his hands, discovered a business in which he made a fortune in a few years, and tells so plainly how it was done, that any one who reads his narrative can be equally successful. Commenced in the number for January, 1875, (now ready) of the Popular Journal, a large forty column literary paper, filled with the choicest productions of American and foreign authors. Magnificent list of costly premiums. Sent three months on trial for twenty-five cents. Address Journal Company, Lawrenceburg, Indiana.

In consequence of the serious illness of his brother, Henry G. Bonner, at Comanche, Texas, Mrs. John P. Barrett left here last Saturday morning for that State. She will be absent about three weeks.

The Walton's Creek Grangers Start Off on the Right Foot.

The Grangers in District No. 3, Ohio county, held a District Council at Walton's Creek, on Saturday, the 20th inst. We are permitted to publish so much of the proceedings as follows:

"Since we are deeply interested in the financial affairs of our county, we think our county funds should be controlled by none but true economists, who will work for the greatest good to the greatest number; men who will be just alike to Radicals and Democrats; and boldly oppose all unjust and exorbitant allowances in our Court of Claims, as well as to contend for all just and reasonable ones. With the view of securing such men at the May election,

We resolve that we recognize W. P. Renter and Timothy S. Bennett as the men whom we want for Magistrates, and Sanford L. Fulkerson as the man for Constable. We request them to become candidates, and all persons, opposed to extravagance, to vote for them.

Adjoined with prayer, sine die.
D. J. E. MADDOX, Pres.
G. M. ROWE, Secy.
March 20, 1875.

A Brace of Runaway Lads.

Lee Bennett, a son of Jacob Bennett, who lives near Walton's Creek, in this county, ran away from home on Sunday night, March 14th. He left in the company of Luther Bennett, a cousin, who ran away from his father in Indiana, and who had been at J. T. Bennett's since last fall. Lee's age is somewhere about 14, and Luther's 16 or 17. It is believed that Lee was persuaded to take the step he did by Luther. Efforts have been made to catch them, with no other success than to trace them to Princeton. Mr. Bennett, however, is in pursuit of them, and great anxiety is felt in the neighborhood lest he may not succeed in finding his boy. Lee has always been a good boy, and more interest is felt for him than the other one. They left without a cent of money. It has been found that they were traveling by rail free by getting on the platform behind the passenger coach, unobserved by the conductor. Their intentions are unknown, but there are grounds to believe that they are aiming for South America. No difficulty of any kind had occurred to cause them to leave home, and it is supposed that the only matter with them was, that they had "wild oats to sow." Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Bennett and his wife, who are very much depressed.

OLD GRAYSON ALL RIGHT.

Her Unpurchasable Democracy Express their Honest Sentiment.
Spirits Luck, March 23, 1875.

Pursuant to a call of the Executive Committee of Grayson, a convention of the Democracy of the county was held at Litchfield, Monday, for the purpose of appointing delegates to the Frankfort convention in May. The attendance was large and enthusiastic.

Judge J. W. Bozarth was elected permanent Chairman, and Will K. Haynes Secretary.

A preamble and resolutions were read, expressive of the sense of the convention, and which, on motion, was adopted.

A resolution to instruct the delegates, after some debate, was finally approved.

Whereupon the convention proceeded to the election of its choice among the various aspirants for the State offices, which resulted as follows:

For Governor—J. B. McCreary.
For Lieut. Governor—J. W. Hays.
For Auditor—Fayette Hewitt.
For Treasurer—Jas. W. Tate.
For Supt. Pub. Inst.—H. A. M. Henderson.

For Register of Land Office—Richard Sharpe.

There being no further business, the convention adjourned sine die.

The vote between the two candidates for Lieutenant Governor was exceedingly close. So close, in fact, that both sides, claimed it, when a division of the house was ordered by the Chairman, in order to test which did have the majority.

It is gratifying to report that the best of feeling characterized the proceedings of this Convention. As my time is limited, I will have to desist from further comment on the result of the convention.

OUR ROCKPORT LETTER.

ROCKPORT KY., Mar. 23.
The morning is gloomy, the rain is pouring down in torrents, and the river is rising and spreading over the country on either side. The farmers are chafing over the dull prospects before them. There are no oats sown yet; everything is backward; even the birds seem to hold back their spring songs.

THE WHEAT CROP.
The farmers seem to think their wheat crops will prove nearly or quite a failure. I think, however, that their fears in this respect are premature.

THE STATE FACTORY.
has opened up again, and its noisy whistle has resumed its signal call to labor. It puts new life into everything. The lazy, lounging, aimless sort of loafing has given place to the prompt, decided, ringing tread of business. The counters are piled with tangled goods; onions and paper sacks of flour, and eggs and butter, are met hurrying along the streets, morning, noon and night. Before it took from three to five minutes to convince a friend of the health of your family. Now, he rushes along with a passing "How yer," and it is you answer, it is to the empty air. It is dull here now only to the lazy man, and to him it is exasperating—nobody to talk to, not even the boys, for they have caught the infection of hurry.

SEVERE THAN THE GOOSEBONE.
I see from your last issue that Josh Ford, of the *Shield*, has sored on you. I wonder if he got a quarter for that article? By the way, speaking of Josh, can you tell me whether he is a candidate for the Legislature? He used to be a standard candidate. If he is a candidate, the farmers may expect a good crop year.

Long experience gives me confidence in my prediction. There is no better sign. His election might break the charm. I still think the prediction safe.

"MY WIFE'S HEK."
Mr. Editor, did you ever raise chickens? If not, you are miserably ignorant of one of the greatest enjoyments of life. My wife has one hen of the short-legged breed. We have had that hen something less than ten years. I have already had several messes of boiled eggs, and a fried chicken—all from this "duck-legged" pullet.

When I look upon that hen, and reflect how long and faithfully she has served me, what rich stores of enjoyment I derive from her, and particularly when her shrill cackle proclaims another offering of gratitude for corn and bits of bread, my heart swells with emotions unutterable, and I am happy that the *Shield* office is so remote.

THE BIG JUDGE AGAIN.
Our Big Judge has been to Hartford, and I want to know what you have been doing to him. Does he own half your city, or does going to Hartford naturally give a man the big head? Next time he comes up, get Williams Brothers to put an iron band round his head and charge to me.

DIED.
GRIGSBY.—At Rockport, Ky., on the night of March 19, Mrs. CHARLOTTE GRIGSBY, aged 65 years, 3 months and 20 days.

Mrs. Grigsby was born in Ohio county, and lived a pious and consistent member of the Baptist Church at Pond Run for nearly forty years. In her last sickness she spoke much and often of the comforts of religion, and urged upon her children and friends the necessity of a preparation to meet God in peace.

Weep not for her, why should you weep, Or be by sorrow pressed? The Savior will his promise keep, Your loved one's now at rest.
W. L. H.

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HARTFORD RETAIL MARKETS.

Corrected Weekly by Wm. H. Williams.
Hartford, Ky., March 24, 1875.

Apples, dried, 3 bush.	\$1 00
Apples, green, 3 bush.	75@ 1 25
Bacon, 3 lb.	15
Beans 3 bush.	1 25@ 1 50
Brooms, 3 doz.	2 40@ 3 50
Butter, 3 lb.	15@ 20
Candies, 3 lb.	25@ 40
Coffee, 3 lb.	25@ 28
Cheese, 3 lb.	25@ 28
Crackers, 3 lb.	15@ 25
Coal oil, 3 galon.	80@ 86
Chickens, 3 doz.	1 50@ 1 75
Corn, 3 barrel.	3 00
Gpon-skins.	10@ 25
Eggs, 3 doz.	10
Furs, racoon.	40@ 50
Furs, mink.	1 00@ 1 75
Flour, 3 barrel.	6 00@ 7 00
Sominy, 3 lb.	45@ 44
Hay, 3 100 lb.	6@ 6
Hides, dried, 3 lb.	10@ 15
Lard, 3 lb.	20
Lard oil 3 galon.	1 25
Lime, 3 barrel.	1 50
Meal, bolted, 3 bushel.	75@ 80
Meal, unbolted, 3 bushel.	75@ 1 00
Molasses, 3 galon.	75@ 1 00
Mackerel, 3 kit.	1 50@ 2 00
Mackerel, 3 barrel.	8 50@ 10 00
Nails, 3 keg, 10d.	4 25@ 5 50
Oysters, 3 can.	12@ 20
Onions, 3 barrel.	5 00
Potatoes, 3 bushel.	1 80@ 2 00
Peaches, dried, 3 bushel.	1 50@ 1 75
Rice, 3 lb.	124
Salt, 3 barrel.	2 50
Lugar, N. O. 3 lb.	10@ 124
Sugar, C. 3 lb.	12@ 124
Sugar, crushed, 3 lb.	174
Soap, 3 lb.	5@ 20
Starch, 3 lb.	10
Soda, 3 lb.	10
Tallow, 3 lb.	6
Tar, 3 galon.	50@ 60
Teas, 3 lb.	1 50@ 2 00
Tobacco, manuf'd, 3 lb.	75@ 1 50

AUGUST ELECTION, 1875.

Auditor Public Accounts.
Fayette Hewitt, of Hardin county, is a candidate for the office of Auditor of Public Accounts at the August election, 1875. Subject to the action of the Democratic Convention called for May 6, 1875.

Register of the Land Office.
C. J. Hinkle, of Shelby county, is a candidate for Register of the Land Office. Subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

NOTICE.

Wanted to borrow \$3,000 for two or three years, for which ten per cent interest will be paid—payable semi-annually—note to be due if interest is not promptly paid, and will secure the lender by a mortgage on real estate; and as an additional security will give him to hold as collateral real estate lien notes worth at least \$6,000. Address "MONEY," care Herald office, Hartford, Ky.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at the May election to be held on the last day of May, 1875, in District No. 7, Ohio county, Ky., at the court house in Hartford, a poll will be opened for the purpose of taking the sense of the legal voters in said district upon the proposition whether or not spirituous or malt liquors shall be sold in said district.

THOS. J. SMITH,
Sheriff of Ohio County.
March 13, 1875.

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT.

As agent of Bonner & Duff, I desire to sell or rent the old "Crown Farm," on Hall's creek, containing two hundred and ten acres. Terms liberal.
JOHN P. BARRETT.

\$15

Buy a Genuine WALTON'S Wares, in 300 one silver hunting case. Send for our new Catalogue, Price List, (free) of W. Walton's, 1000 Main St., Louisville, Ky. Also, Gold Chains, Gold Watches, Gold Rings, Gold Jewelry, and all kinds of Gold and Silver Goods, at wholesale and retail prices. Address: W. Walton, 1000 Main St., Louisville, Ky.

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Bought at the highest market price.

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I will also pay the highest cash price for hides, sheep pelts, eggs, butter, bacon, potatoes, beans, etc.

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(County Judge.)
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HARTFORD, KY.

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